



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re application of : Docket No.: CV-0039A  
JOHN MOON ET AL : Group No.: 2872  
Serial No.: 10/661,031 : Confirmation: 6760  
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**Title: Diffraction Grating-based Encoded Micro-Particles  
for Multiplexed Experiments**

Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

This is a response to an Office Action mailed May 11, 2005 being submitted with a request for a two month extension of time and a Request for a Continued Examination.

In light of the aforementioned, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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